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~~The invention relates to an active instrument for determining a position in navigation systems which assist surgical interventions. The invention is characterised by a wireless transmission of energy. The energy for the power supply to the instrument can be supplied using wireless transmission elements, whereby at least one solar cell and a buffer storage unit are provided in the instrument. An untethered, active instrument that determines a position in a navigation system and assists in surgical operations includes supply having one or more solar cells.~~